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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DETECTING VAPORIZED GAS

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